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The Honorable David E. Price Chairman Subcommittee on Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies House Appropriations Committee Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Mario Diaz-Balart Ranking Member Subcommittee on Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies House Appropriations Committee Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Price and Ranking Member Diaz-Balart:

I write today in support of an important community project in my Congressional District. As you begin crafting the Fiscal Year 2023 appropriations legislation, please consider my request to provide \$782,000 in funding for a multi-use bike path as a community project funding request. The intended recipient is the City of Franklin, Ohio, located at 1 Benjamin Franklin Way, Franklin, Ohio 45005.

The City of Franklin proposes to construct approximately 1.65 miles of 10' wide asphalt for a multi-use bike path between Franklin Community Park and Springboro's Hazel Woods Park. The proposed path will include one pedestrian bridge across Clear Creek and would connect the two parks within the City of Franklin. I understand that this project is included in the long-range transportation plan of the Miami Valley Bike Plan and would support the goals of the Warren County Multi-Use Trails Master Plan. It is expected that this project will improve quality of life and recreational activities and promote economic development in Franklin and surrounding communities.

It is my understanding that completion of this project would increase the utilization of bike trails by Franklin residents and others from surrounding areas. This would serve the Franklin community by providing more outdoor opportunities as well as allow access for non-residents to travel to or through Franklin to either continue along the rest of the trail or to stay and enjoy Franklin. This project is a priority for the Franklin community because the Great Miami River provides opportunities for riverfront cities, like Franklin, to be more interconnected so that all the communities along the river can continue to grow economically.

As you continue to assess appropriations requests, I ask that you give every consideration of this community project in my Congressional District to promote economic development in Franklin, Ohio and surrounding communities. Thank you for your consideration of this important request.

Sincerely,

Steve Chabot (OH-01) MEMBER OF CONGRESS

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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives H-305, The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives H-305, The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

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I am requesting funding for a multi-use bike path in Fiscal Year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Franklin, Ohio, 1 Benjamin Franklin Way, Franklin, Ohio 45005. The funding would be used to complete a multi-use bike path maintain economic development in the community.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Steve Chabot (OH-01)

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